

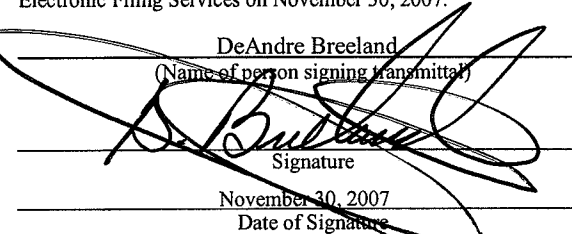
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Motoki Nakade, et al.  
Serial No. : 09/817,597  
For : COMMUNICATION SERVICE METHOD AND  
COMMUNICATION APPARATUS THEREOF  
Filed : March 26, 2001  
Examiner : Calvin L. Hewitt II  
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**AMENDMENT SUBMITTED**  
**WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review dated  
October 30, 2007, having a one-month statutory period for response set to expire on November  
30, 2007, Applicants hereby submit a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Applicants

submit herewith an electronic payment in the amount of \$810.00 for the RCE fee. Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.